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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office action dated May 16, 2006, applicant amends this application as follows and requests continued examination.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the **Listing of the Claims**, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.